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Schooner Helen Thomas Will Carry Lumber to South America.

Another coasting schooner, the Helen Thomas, in consequence of the absorption of the coal and lumber freight work on the Atlantic coast by steamships, has been forced to enter the off-shore trade and a day or two ago her agents accepted a charter to take a cargo of West Virginia spruce pine lumber to Buenos Aires, Argentina.

The schooner Lucinda Sutton left in the past week loaded a full cargo of the lumber at Baltimore and has sailed for the South American port. It is stated that other big four and five masted coasting schooners are seeking cargoes for off-shore ports. The Helen Thomas and the Lucinda Sutton are both well known at this port. They formed part of the fleet of big schooners engaged in bringing ice from Maine to this city and taking coal from Georgetown for New England ports. The erection of ice-making plants sufficient in output to supply the demands of the city has put an end to the bringing of natural ice to this port.

Unofficial advice at Whelton, W. Va., are that Judge Nathan Goff, of the United States district court, will not undertake to lead the republican fight in the 1912 campaign as a candidate for governor.

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Government Expert Wants Uniform Muzzling Laws.

DISEASE NOT IMAGINARY

Figures Which Show Efficacy of Pasteur Treatment.

SOME CASES NOT GENUINE

Clerk in Washington Store Almost Scared Himself to Death, But Dog Wasn't Mad.

An indication of the efficacy of the Pasteur treatment in the prevention of rabies is given in a bulletin on the subject by Dr. John R. Mohler, just issued by the Department of Agriculture. Speaking of the work of the Pasteur institute under state supervision in Atlanta, Ga., Dr. Mohler says that since its establishment in 1900 there have been 670 cases treated. Of those treated there were only two that died. During the same period there were 120 people bitten who took no subsequent treatment, and of these twenty-nine died. It is hard, of course, to get the negative statistics in the case of people bitten and not taking the treatment, but the comparative figures are among the few available and are interesting.

The bulletin of Dr. Mohler deals with the history of the disease, its symptoms and treatment, and advocates a general dog muzzling law, which, he says, would largely reduce the fatality from the disease if it were not out altogether.

Not Imaginary Ailment.

There are two cases cited in the report with the author's text to indicate that the disease is not an imaginary ailment, though there can be cases in which the patient can work up a fine case of pseudo-rabies on imagination alone.

One of these was the case of a colored woman at the Freedmen's Hospital. She was twenty-eight years old and had been badly bitten by a collie dog, but the wounds afterward healed. Eighteen days afterward she developed symptoms of the disease. She did not know that the dog that bit her had died of rabies, but she knew that she was seriously ill at the hospital she did not connect the fact of having been bitten with her sickness. She grew rapidly worse, with all the symptoms of the disease, and died twenty-one days after the bite was inflicted. A post-mortem showed that it undoubtedly was a case of rabies.

Symptoms Not Convincing.

On the other hand, a clerk in a dry goods store here was bitten by a watch dog in the store on a Saturday. The wound was slight, and was immediately cauterized. On the following Wednesday the clerk fainted at the counter, and was taken to the hospital, where he was kept under observation.

Within two days the young man developed a case of rabies that was very unusual. He was very ill, but was only too soon after the bite, but was too conventional to be convincing to the physicians. He would roll himself in the bedclothes, bark like a dog and bite the pillow, shaking it like a rat. In other ways he would show more imitative accuracy than a rabid dog.

At first it was impossible to attract his attention, though he would mumble and talk to himself. Finally when he was told that the dog that bit him was not mad, but was enjoying its usual health and appetite, and that he had developed the symptoms entirely too soon, he commenced to realize that he had been making himself a victim of auto-suggestion and rapid recovery followed.

Nearly Scared to Death.

It developed that he had been reading up on rabies after he was bitten and nearly scared himself to death.

Dr. Mohler is strongly in favor of a general muzzling of dogs and says that while a federal muzzling law is impracticable, if all states would act in the matter the disease could be stamped out. In support of this he gives a detailed history of the effect of the muzzling order in Washington and the subsequent fluctuation of rabies here.

In conclusion he says:

"In order to secure state and municipal legislation the control of rabies it will require concerted action on the part of all interested parties, whether professional men or laymen, to protect the public health, and the benefits of such a procedure. With such legislation properly enforced no dog would be seen running at large without a muzzle. Those contracting the disease would be unable to transmit it to other animals. Monetary loss, untold suffering and death among both human beings and animals caused by the disease and its rapid spread, and the relatively short period rabies would be eradicated from our country. After reaching this desired goal the reappearance of the disease could be easily prevented by a six-month quarantine of all dogs imported into the United States from countries where rabies is prevalent."

MRS. TAFT STILL IMPROVING.

Probably Will Be Able to Return Here Thursday.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Improvement in the condition of Mrs. Taft, who was stricken with a return of nervous trouble here Saturday night, continued today.

Dr. Evans, who is attending her, said that he anticipated nothing to interfere with her plan of returning to Washington Thursday.

SERIOUSLY HURT BY FALL.

Thurman Shanks Drops From Scaffold, Distance of Twenty Feet.

Thurman Shanks, a painter, residing at 1415 D street northwest, is at the Casualty Hospital in a serious condition as a result of falling from a scaffold this morning.

Shanks, who is employed by M. F. Nicholson of 712 11th street southeast, was painting the front of house, 624 9th street northwest shortly after 9 o'clock. Suddenly one of the ropes slipped and Shanks fell from the scaffold, a distance of about twenty feet. He struck the ground with great force and was rendered unconscious.

Representative William G. Brown of the second West Virginia district will make the address on Confederate memorial day at Shepherdstown, June 3.

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But Defendant in Sully's Suit Double Tracks Will Be Laid

May Return Friday to and Road Extended to

Appear in Court. the Sanatorium.

That the street railway line constructed along Rittenhouse street, Takoma Park, to connect with the 14th street cars of the Capital Traction Company will be taken over by a new syndicate backed by a large southern bank was the announcement made by President James W. Dyer of the Takoma Park Citizens' Association last night at its last meeting before adjournment for the summer.

The new owners plan to lay double tracks, extend the road to the sanatorium, construct a terminus at Takoma and erect a separate power house, running the cars with electricity instead of gasoline, as had been planned by the Baltimore and Washington Transit Company. The line is about five miles long now, and will be considerably longer when reconstructed according to the tentative plans. It is expected that the road will be in operation by fall.

Dr. Warner W. Stockberger of the joint railway committee of the Federation of Citizens' Associations reported the committee's decision to the association last night. He said the railway company had refused to install open cars on the line. He also stated his committee would request the district court to order the company to improve service, particularly during the rush hours, on Saturday nights and on Sunday afternoons.

Macadamizing Is Favored.

Secretary B. B. Jenkins was authorized to write a letter indicating the proposed petition to the Commissioners of the District of Columbia for the macadamizing of Butternut street from Georgia avenue to Piney Branch road, and for the similar treatment of other streets of Takoma Park lying in the District.

Appropriations were made at the last session of Congress for these improvements, and the money is available, but it is understood the work is held in abeyance pending the completion of the subway under the railroad tracks at Cedar street. Petitions are to be circulated requesting the District Commissioners to have these improvements completed before next winter, so that the citizens will not have to endure the hardships and inconveniences which would be entailed by the unfinished condition of these streets during the winter months.

A resolution of the East End Citizens' Association endorsing Col. Charles C. Lancaster and protesting against the action of the Northwest Citizens' Association in depriving him of his seat on the table.

Representative Anderson's proposed investigation of telephone rates in the District received the association's hearty endorsement, as did the straight extension of New Hampshire avenue to the city limits.

Announcement was made that the new Carnegie library, corner of 5th and Cedar streets, Takoma Park, will be ready to be opened to the public about November 1.

A resolution was adopted requesting the gas company to give improved service through the mains in the park, particularly Sunday afternoons.

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ORDER OF MOSES MEETS.

Joint Gathering Held in Honor of Rev. W. A. Ray.

A joint meeting of the several branches of the Ancient Independent Order of Moses, headed by Granting Tabernacle, No. 70, in honor of Rev. W. A. Ray, who has completed four years' service at the Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion Church, on 24 street near D street, was held at the church last evening. Members of the congregation and a large number of invited guests were also present at the meeting.

Mrs. Ray, who is a member of the Order of Moses, delivered a sermon. Special music for the occasion was furnished by the choir, led by Director Joseph F. Newman, accompanied by the organist, Mrs. Marion Clinecane. A luncheon given in the lecture room by the pastor concluded the meeting.

Potomac Club Gets Permission to Build Beyond Harbor Line.

The War Department has granted permission to the Potomac Boat Club to extend its wharf just east of the Aqueduct bridge into the river a few feet beyond the proposed harbor line at that point. This permit was granted on the recommendation of Col. Langhitt, the engineer in charge of the improvement of the Potomac river, on the expressed condition that the portion of the wharf extending beyond the harbor line shall be an open-work structure and shall be removed on due notice from the War Department to that effect.

The proposed new wharf will be a compact wooden structure extending about three feet beyond the harbor line, the portion inside the harbor line being of solid, permanent construction. The wharf will be constructed in time for use during the summer and fall season.

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